



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Pang
Serial No. : 10/529,283
Filed : September 12, 2003
Art Unit : 3682
Examiner : James Pilkington
Title : ELASTIC COUPLE BARRING APPRATUS

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 2, 2008

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DATED: 10-31-2008

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 2, 2008, for which the three-month period for reply expired on October 2, 2008. While it is believed that a one-month extension of time is necessary, should the Office determine that any additional fees are necessary for this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4882. Entry of the Amendment and consideration of the Remarks/Arguments that follow is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.